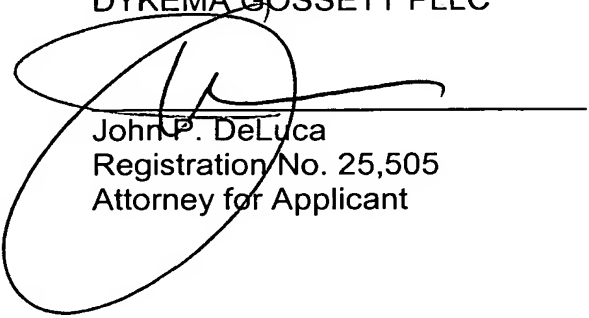


**REMARKS**

This Amendment is for the purpose of deleting multiple dependent claims.  
Allowance of the claims is earnestly solicited.

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